

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 372  
By Finney

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Charles Christopher O'Connor, 2005 Salutatorian of Seymour High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Charles Christopher O'Connor is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2005 graduating class at Seymour High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Charles O'Connor has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Charles O'Connor has earned an exemplary 3.99 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, active in school clubs and organizations, Mr. O'Connor is a member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes, the Beta Club, National Honor Society, and Aspire Leadership; he also played football and soccer; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Charles O'Connor is a Comcast Leaders and Achievers Scholarship Winner and a National Football Foundation Scholar Athlete; and

WHEREAS, Mr. O'Connor's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, having received the Henry Scholarship, Charles O'Connor plans to attend Emory University in the fall; and

WHEREAS, Charles O'Connor's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Tim and Terry O'Connor, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Charles O'Connor's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2005 Seymour High School Salutatorian, Charles Christopher O'Connor, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.